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For: ROTATION CONTROL APPARATUS OPERATING WITH A SYNC SIGNAL  
HAVING VARIABLE INTERVALS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please add the following claims 5-9:

1. (Revised) An information data recording apparatus for recording information data on an information recording medium having pre-pits which are formed at periodic intervals having a period that is m, m being an integer, times as large a unit period in accordance with pre-information recorded at an interval which deviates from said periodic intervals by an interval that is k, k being an integer, where  $k < m$ , times said unit period in accordance with recording positions, said apparatus comprising: